



## The City of Morgantown

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### **City of Morgantown offers Street Sign Amnesty to Sticky-Fingered Students**

*Any resident who has a street sign in their possession can return it to the City without fear of fine or retribution – for a limited time.*

MORGANTOWN – Students who wanted a reminder of their time in Morgantown are being encouraged to do the right thing and return any street signs they may have collected during the school year.

May 6 through 17, anyone returning street signs to the City of Morgantown can do so anonymously and without fine or penalty.

Street sign replacement has grown expensive for the City of Morgantown. Recently, the Streets & Signs Department has tried out a few different kinds of street signs to deter theft, including a kind of green plastic “wrap” street sign that attaches to wood power poles. Department heads decided on a new, stronger pole, with street sign supports that are several inches thick – instead of a thin, metal sheet sign that is often pliable enough to tear down.



If there are any questions about the Street Sign Amnesty program, residents are encouraged to call the Public Works Department at 304-284-7412.

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### **More Information**

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